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Preaching in the F. M. Church every

Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev.

R. A. Zahniser, Pastor. Services in the Presbyterian Church

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#### BOROUGH OFFICERS. WORK ON PANAMA CANAL

Burgess .- A. H. Dale, Justices of the Peace-S. S. Canfield, S. J. Setley.
Connectmen.—J. B. Muse, J. W. Landers, J. T. Dale, W. F. Killmer, C. A. Lansen, Geo. Holeman, G. T. Anderson.
Constable.—W. H. Hood.
Collector.—S. J. Setley.
School Directors.—J. C. Scowden, R. L. Haslet, E. W. Bowman, T. F. Ritchey, A. C. Brown, Dr. J. C. Dunn. Engineer Stevens Given Free Hand In Construction.

Chinese Restriction-Death of General Blackmar-Hendricks' Reply to Crit-Icisms-Scandal In Hooker Trial FOREST COUNTY OFFICERS. Race Riot In New York - Peary Member of Congress-Joseph C. Sibley. Starts For Pole. Member of Senute-J. K. P. Hall, Assembly-J. H. Robertson. President Judge-W. M. Lindsey. Associate Judges-W. H. H. Dotterer,

Chairman Shonts and Chief Engineer Stevens lunched with President Roosevelt Friday. This was the first opportunity the president had had to discuss canal matters with Mr. Stevens and they went over the subject Commissioners—C. Burhenn, A. K. Shipe, Henry Weingard.

District Attorney—S. D. Irwin.

Jury Commissioners—Ernest Sibble, pretty thoroughly. It can be said that Hr. Stevens has been given practically a free hand to do the construction work of the canal. He has his own ideas about the methods to be pursued and will not be interfered with in the work of his department.

County Auditors-W. H. Stiles, Geo. W. Holeman, B. A. McCloskey. County Surveyor-D. W. Clark. County Superintendent-D. W. Morri-His desire is to dig the canal and to that great undertaking he will devote all his energy and ability, leaving the executive and administrative details to be worked out by Chairman Shonts, Governor Magoon and the commission.

> After the conference with the President Chairman Shonts talked frankly about the work of the commission and about canal conditions.

"Just now," he sald, "we have about 12,000 men at work on the canal. That is about as many as we could employ under the existing conditions. We tave our executive staff thoroughly organized now but the organization has not been completed on the isthmus. That is a part of the work Mr. Stevens will have to do. His engineering staff must be organized and its work mapped out.

"We must make arrangements for 'TI'. NESTA LODGE, No. 369, L.O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening, in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building. the housing, feeding and general care of our employes, in itself a great task, and we must complete the sanitary arrangements in the American zone. All this will require time and energy and hard work, but it will be accomplished successfully. I have about concluded CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 3d Monday evening in each month, in A. O. U. W. arrangements with a man who is to go to the isthmus to arrange for the recreation of the canal employes. We will have reading rooms, amusement halls and all that sort of thing, by means of which the men may pass their idle hours pleasantly and profitably."

TIONESTA TENT, No. 164, K. O. T. M., meets 2nd and 4th Wednesday evening in each month in A. O. U. W. hall Tionesta, Pa. "No," continued Chairman Shonts In response to an inquiry, "the sanitary conditions on the isthmus are not so bad as they have been reported to be. A lot of people have become fright All work guaranteed. Rooms over Forest County National Bank. thed by the yellow fever, but it is not so bad as might be expected. Reports from the isthmus regarding health have been grossly exaggerated." ATTORNEYS AT-LAW, Tionesta, Pa.

Want Less Restriction.

CURTIS M. SHAWKEY,
ATTORNEY-AT-GAW,
Warren, Pa. President Wheelwright of the Chamber of Commerce of Portland, Ore., on behalf of that organization, sent a letter to President Roosevelt bearing upon the question of Chinese exclus-

A C BROWN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Office in Arner Building, Cor. Elmand Bridge Sts., Tionesta, Pa. The letter urges President Roosevelt to take "steps toward negotiating a new treaty with China that shall provide for the removal of the exacting conditions that now attach to the en-Physician, Surgeon & Dentist.
Office and Residence three doors north
of Hotel Agnew, Tionesta. Professional trance into this country of their merchants, students and professional men. calls promptly responded to at all hours. for the absolute freedom of all Chin-DR. F. J. BOVARD, Physician & Surgeon, TIONESTA, PA. ese residents of this country to visit their own land and return here, and for the admission during the next ten years of a number of male Chinese laborers that in any one year shall not exceed one-tenth of one per cent of the population of this country.

"American labor has little appre ly responded to at all hours of day or night. Residence—Elm. St., between ciation of its own dignity and power, Grove's grocery and Gerow's restaurant. as well as of its capabilities for improvement, if it raises objection to such limited Chinese Immigration as that-amounting in 10 years to less than 1 per cent of our population-and thus endeavors to deprive the nation of this additional means to its development, not only in this country, but in the Hawaiian and Philippine islands and Panama."

Keeps a complete line of Justice's blanks for sale. Also Blank deeds, mortgages, The president is asked to give pub licity to his intentions in this regard

Japs Met Death Bravely.

HOTEL WEAVER,
E. A. WEAVER, Proprietor.
This hotel, formerly the Lawrence
House, has undergone a complete change, The story of the loss of the Japanese cruiser Takasago in December last, and is now furnished with all the mod-ern improvements. Heated and lighted only published since the destruction throughout with natural gas, bathrooms, hot and cold water, etc. The comforts of of Rojestvensky's fleet, is a military

After the Takasago struck a mine and began to sink, the crew assembled in perfect order on the upper deck, Tionseta, Pa. This is the most centrally located hotel in the place, and has all the modern improvements. No pains will be spared to make it a pleasant stopping there to await the battle with a stormy sea and death. Captain Ishibashi ordered every

place for the traveling public. First class Livery in connection. man to use a life belt, and directed that no one jump overboard until the ship actually sank. The crew then joined in singing the national anthem. FANCY BOOT & SHOEMAKER. cheering the emperor and lastly they vang "Gallant Sailors," their 500 voices ringing out above the storm

Shop in Walters building, Cor. Elm and Walnut streets, Is prepared to do all kinds of custom work from the finest to the coarsest and guarantees his work to After that, as a relaxation, give perfect satisfaction. Prompt attention given to mending, and prices reamen were allowed to smoke, and thus they went calmly to their deaths. Of the 500 men who went down with the

> Death of General Blackmar. General Wilmon W. Blackmar of Boston commander in-chief of the G

A. R., died Sunday at Boise, Idaho, of nephritis. General Blackmar was born July 15, 1841, at Bristol Pa. He enlisted in the 15th Pennsylvania cavalry and subsequently joined the first West Virginia. He served with distinction throughout the war and at Five Forks

was promoted on the field by General

Custer to the rank of captain. Throughout three administrations

of Massachusetts. At the last pational encampment of the G. A. R. he was elected commander in chief.

Twelve Dead on French Submarine The task of extricating the remains of the dead crew of the French submarine boat Farfadet which sank at the entrance of the port of Sidi Ab dallah July 6 and which was towed into drydock Sunday, is proceeding

From the condition of the interioof the vessel it was seen that they struggled hard against their fate and endeavored to stop the leaking hatch with their jerseys. The water, however, gained while the air supply diminished.

Only four bodies have as yet been recovered and these are almost unrec

Supreme Tent of Maccabees Sustained Judge Law, in the circuit court at Huron, Mich., has handed down his opinion in the case of Dantel St. Clair Wineland of Pittsburg against the Knights of Maccabees of the World, in which Wineland protested against the raise in rates adopted by the supreme tent at its biennial session in Detroit a year ago. Judge Law dismissed the bill of complaint with costs to the defendant. The decision was based on the clause in the laws of the supreme tent governing applications for membership which reads as follows: "This application and the laws of the supreme tent now in force or that may hereafter be adopted are made the sole basis of the contract between myself and the supreme

Hendricks' Reply to Criticisms.

The answer of Superintendent Francis Hendricks of the New York state insurance department, to the published criticisms of his official acts in connect'on with the testimony taken by him in the investigation of the Equitable Life Assurance society and his preliminary report thereon, is made in an extended statement issued from the insurance department.

The superintendent says that the report was not edited; that no part o fthe evidence was suppressed, and that only three copies were taken. which were seen only by his stenographer, the attorney general and his New York deputy.

Scandal In Hooker Trial.

Editor in Chief Erwin Wardman of the New York Press was the storm center of one of the most sensational scenes enacted in the New York state legislature in many years. His persistent refusal to give the reasons for his expressed belief that some members of the legislature had been the subject of improper influences in connection with the trial of the charges against Supreme Court Justice Warren B. Hooker produced intense excitement and the question of the disposal of his case has entirely overshalowed in interest here the matter of the charges against Justice

Race Riot In New York.

"San Juan Hill," in New York city, the district bounded by Amsterdam and West End avenues and 61st and 63rd streets, so-called because of its notoriety as a battle ground, was the reene Friday night of a fierce race riot which required the reserves of no less than 17 police precincts, numbering more than 250 men, to quell after many shots had been fired and several persons had been seriously injured Even after the actual fighting had been suppressed only the presence of strong guards of police patrolling the neighborhood prevented the renewal of hos-

Rockefeller Aids Boy Singer. Harry Evans, the boy soprano of Cleveland, O., who has been singing in vaudeville, will quit the stage to become a protege of John D. Rockefeller. Last Sunday Harry was invited to sing before the Euclid Avenue Sunday school, of which Rockefeller is superintendent. After the school was dismissed the magnate asked the boy what he was doing, and the lad told a sad story. "Cancel all contracts," said Rockefeller, "you must have an education. I will pay all the

Elks In Denver Next Year.

bills and will support your mother

while you are studying."

The reunion of the B. P. O. E. will be held in Denver in 1906. Perry Clay of Denver led the winning fight at Buffalo for the mile high city. Denver received twice as many votes as Dallas, the fight for which was led by William H. Atwell, United States attorney there. Atlantic City had a

Senator Clark Undergoes Operation. United States Senator W. A. Clark of Montana continues to rally satis factorily from the operation which he underwent for the removal of an abseess of the brain. It will be at least four days before the ultimate safety of the patient can be assured.

Crushed by Mowing Machine. Daniel Thompson, an elderly farm er living near Salisbury Mills, Crange county, died from injuries received while moving. The mower broke throwing him from his sent. The machine passed over him and crushed

Pea - Starts For North Pole. accevelt, in which Captain Robert F Peary hopes to reach the North Polic started on her long voyage at 3:10 p. in. Sunday from New York

Possible German-Swedish Alliance. There is reason to state on good authose of Governors tone, Talbott and thority that a German-Swedish alli-Rice, he was Judge Advocate General | ance is seriously contemplated

# **NEW FORM OF SUBPOENA**

FOREST REPUBLICAN.

First Procedure against Editors Probably In Excess of Powers.

Protest Against Jurisdiction of Joint Session In Requiring Attendance. Lawyers Expressed Diverse Opinions as to Legal Aspect of Situation. New Subpoena Under Special Form.

Albany, July 18 .- The joint session of the legislature found itself with a Lew problem immediately upon convening last night in the defiance of its subpoena by Managing Editor J. A. Hennessey of the New York Press.

The clerk called the name of Editor in Chlef Ervin Wardman of the New York Press, whose testimony and relusal to answer certain questions last week led to the present tangle. Mr. Wardman answered "here."

The sergeant-at-arms reported that he had been unable to serve subpoena upon M. G. Scott, night editor of the Press. The clerk then called the name of its managing editor, John A. Hennessey. He did not answer and was noted as in default, whereupon the following communication from him

Objects to Jurisdiction. "To the Joint Session of the Senate and Assembly of the State of New York:

"The undersigned having been served with a subpoena to appear before you at the Capitol in the city of Albany, on the 17th day of July, A. D., 1905, at 8:30 o'clock p. m. of that day, then and there to be examined as a witness and to testify to the truth as as to the contents and origin of a certain article published in the New York Press Wednesday morning, July 12, 1905, and appearing in column 1 page 1, of said issue of said newspaper and headed, 'Big Lobby for Justice Hooker; scandal is thick in Albany' and directing me to bring with me and produce at that time, before said senate and assembly in joint session, all original manuscripts of said article, and all copies thereof, any and all telegrams, letters, papers or other documents in any matter relating to said article, or the contents and origin thereof, and which may pertain to or be required in investigation of the said subject hereof, respectfully objects and protests against the jurisdiction assumed by you in issuing such subpoena and requiring my attendance and the production of said papers, upon the following

grounds. "First, that said joint session is or ganized only for the purpose of hear ing the proofs and determining whether a certain justice of the supreme court shall be removed from his office and the subject matter stated in said subpoena is not material to such inquiry or involved therein and therefore the said joint session is without authority to inquire into the matter referred to in said subpoena or to require my attendance as a witness thereto (see People ex rel McDonald vs Keller, 99 N. Y., 463-

"Second, that a power of investiga tion is given only to each house in respect of matters upon which it is authorized to legislate and the said foint session not having such power nor this extraordinary session having any present authority to so legislate, It is without power to investigate.

"Third, that neither house of the legislature is now convened nor any of the members of the said houses at the time of the publication of the article here referred to or at the time of the issuing of said subpoena had any legislative capacity until required by the governor's direction. On the contrary, the said houses were excer cising a special authority not requir ing the action of the governor thereon aside from which each of them was without power to act.

"Lastly, the state constitution pro vides (article 4, section 4) 'He (the governor) shall have power to convene the legislature or senate only on extraordinary occasions. At extraordinary sessions no subject shall be acted upon except such as the governor may recommend for consideration. The subject referred to in your subpoena has no relation to the subject recommended for your consideration by the governor and as a consequence you are prohibited by the constitution from acting in respect thereto. "Respectfully,

"John A. Hennessey, Letter Produced a Sensation.

"Managing Editor New York Press. This letter produced a profound seusation and opened up at once the ques tion of the powers of the joint ses Assemblyman Rogers immed ately presented a resolution, already prepared, instructing the lieutenan governor and the speaker of the as sembly to issue a warrant for the ar rest of Mr. Hennessey and his appear ance before the bar of the joint ses sion, directing that he be held in cus tody of the sergeant at arms to await netion on his case. Mr. Rogers de clared that Mr. Hennessey's answer to the summons was "astounding" and "taking advantage of a subterfuge."

Senator Grady took immediate issue with this proposition, asserting that the only way to coerce a witness was for each house to act separately, after getting legal advice upon the unqine question. Thus began a long debate over the authority of the joint session. Senator Grady contended that Hennes sey was not guilty of contempt since the session had no power to issue the subpoens. Senator Page and Assemblyman Fish sided with him, while Senator Elsberg took the opposite

The question was left in the air sion by moving that Mr. Rogers' reso lution be laid on the table and that Editor Hennessey be again subpoen aed under the form provided for in the special rules of the joint session. Such a subpoena will definitely require him to give testimony relative to the Hooker case.

This closed the incident for the time being, and the taking of testimony was resumed.

RYAN TO SELL STOCK.

Will Turn Over Equitable Holdings at Price He Paid.

New York, July 18 .- From a direc tor of the Equitable Life Assurance so clety, it was learned that Thomas F Ryan, who recently purchased the stock holdings of James H. Hyde, has made an agreement with the three trustees of the Ryan holdings and the newly elected directors to sell the stock he purchased back to the Equit able society

This sale is to be made and as soon as possible it is stated, and Mr. Ryan has agreed to turn it into the society, thus thoroughly mutualizing it, for the same sum he paid for it, \$2,500,000 plus 4 per cent interest, between the dates of his purchase and the sale.

It was stated that a number of the newly chosen directors, those selected by the trustees, Grover Cleveland Judge Morgan J. O'Brien and George Westinghouse, accepted posts in the directorate only after they had beer assured most emphatically that such an agreement was in view and that such an agreement existed between Mr. Ryan and the three trustees.

There was a meeting of the execu tive committee of the society yester day but at its conclusion Chairman Morton said there was no business of any moment transacted.

#### RIVER'S COURSE CHANGES.

As a Result Bridge Over Missour Must Be Shifted.

Omaha, July 18. - The Missour river has at last changed its channel under the hig Illinois Central railroad bridge at this place, and it will be necessary for the railroad people to shift the heavy draw from the Ne braska to the Iowa side of the stream

Where there were 30 feet of water two weeks ago, today there is scarce ly three feet, and on the lowa side of the stream, where for years there has been only a shoal and sand flat, the Missouri is now 40 feet deep.

The change was made during the nd of last work and was today when the pilot of the steamer Gunter had soundings made before he would attempt to pass beneath the tridge with the draw open

Railroad Casulties In Three Months

Washington, July 18.—The interstate commerce commission giving an ac count of railroad accidents in the United States during the months of January, February and March, 1905. shows that during that quarter there were 28 passengers and 204 employer killed and 1,651 passengers and 2,069 employes injured in train accidents. making in all 222 persons killed and 3,713 injured in train accidents. Other accidents to passengers and employe not the result of collisions or derail ments, bring the total number of casualties up to 15,306 (904 killed and 14,397 injured.)

Peary's Fine Remitted.

New York, July 18 .- The \$500 fin levied against Robert C. Peary's new ship, the Roosevelt, which sailed Sunday on her North Pole voyage, will not have to be paid, according to an order received from Acting Secretary Garfield of the department of commerce and labor. The Roosevelt was fined for leaving Portland, Me., re cently without proper clearance pa pers and a bond to secure this payment was given before the yessel could leave New York. Mr. Garfield directs the local collector to refrain from proceeding in the enforcement of the

Arrested For Photographing Forts. rested here yesterday for breach of the official secret service act. Some days ago Dr. Clarke was discovered taking photographs of the forts protecting Port Royal and Kingston The police found the photographs on him. prisoner, who is a graduate of Har vard, has been a resident here for four months. Before the court a local lawyer on the prisoner's behalf point ed out that Dr. Clarke's action was without significance. He was held in \$2,000 ball for inquiry into the case.

Fires at Cat and Wounds Little Girl. Baltimore, July 18.-While endeavor ing to kill a cat which had been eating small chickens Rev. Father Patrick Lonaghan, paster of St. Bernard' Cathelic church, Waverly, shot Annie Shettle, aged 9. The physicians at St Joseph's hospital, where the victim was taken, believes she will recover Father Lonaghan is nearly heartbroken about the affair, and spent the greater part of the day at the bedside of the little girl.

Binghamton, July 18. - The first death from heat in this vicinity this year was that of Datus E. Shearer, a farmer living just north of this city. who died in his hay field shortly after

# SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

when Senator Raines ended the discus | Short Items From Various Parts of the World.

> Record of Many Happenings Condensed and Put in Small Space and Arranged With Special Regard For the Convenience of the Reader Who Has Little Time to Spare.

Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte addresses the Christian Endeavor convention at Baltimore on "Pure Politics and Religion."

Julian Cendoya, an American banker, was compelled to pay a ransom to bandits who entered his house at Santiago de Cuba.

Peace envoys of Russia and Japan will meet in the new general stores building of the navy yard at Portsmouth, N. H. Lord Roberts, in a speech in the

house of lords, declares the British army inadequate to uphold the na tion as a first-class power.

Capture of Sakhalin island by the Japanese, a prize which is given a value of \$10,000,000,000 by Russians, is effected without the loss of a sin-Lie soldier in the Nipponese army.

Thursday.

Stay of the Russian squadron at Kustenji, Roumania, is believed to be due to fears that another mutiny will break out if the ships put to sea.

Admissions and records of an aston ishing nature were disclosed in the Equitable investigation conducted by Francis Hendricks, state superintendent of insurance.

In a suit brought by a former em ploye of the McCormick Harvester company of Chicago, the corporation is accused of having received \$3,000, 000 in illegal rebates from various rail-

Offer of the Norwegian throne to Prince Charles of Denmark is approved by England, and the decision of the prince is believed to depend upon the attitude of King Oscar and king Christian.

Friday.

President Roosevelt declared the Panama canal will be a success and pot a failure, and was severe on "cultters."

District Attorney Beach began in Washington, D. C., a new investigation to get at the real facts in the cotton crop report scandal.

President has decided to call congress to meet in extra session Nov. 10 to consider rate legislation and will send in a strong message on the sub-

succeeded by M. Witte, the emperor not damaged. laying aside his dislike for the latter

Morris K. Jesup of New York give: \$25,000 for Commander Peary's Arctic expedition, completing the \$75,000 neded and the explorer declares he surely will reach the north pole.

A dispatch from Panama states that owing to delays in paying labor a general exodus is taking place among the

Baron de Rosen, new Russian ambas sador to the United States, presented tis credentials to President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.

Reports received in St. Petersburg say four regiments in Moscow have mutinied and that officers of the czar's army in Warsaw refused to fire on a

King Oscar of Sweden, accompanied by the crown prince, met Emperor William and Prince Von Buelow, Imperial chancellor, on the Hohenzollern at Gefle, Sweden The Pennsylvania, rival of the Wa-

bash, obtained control of the Little Kanawha railroad, which George J. Gould wanted as a Pittsburg connection for the Western Maryland

M. Witte is clothed with full plen ary powers by Emperor Nicholas and made first peace plenipotentiary, Louis J. Appar of Jersey City, a

wealthy man, named as corespondent later. in the Meyer divorce suit, committed A quarto copy of Shakespeare's

"Richard the Third," a cable dispatch states, realized the record price of \$8,750 at Sotheby's.

Premier Balfour's redistribution of parliamentary seats promises to pro the result of an electrical storm that voke the bitterest fight in the history of Ireland's long quarrel with England. Referendum vote by the railway express drivers, followed by similar action on the part of the department store teemsters, is expected to end the teamsters' strike in Chicago.

The clary of Paul Jones has been found in Paris, a cable dispatch states. John Maher, 40 years of age, a line man, was electrocuted while at work stringly g wires in Avenue D, Roches

Part of the Ekaterinburg regimer. stationed at Lodz mutinied and killed in each house is from one to five cases an officer. The mutineers were ar

District Attorney Bell, City Solicitor Kingstor and William Born were seriously injured by fall of an elevator in the Land Title building in Phlladel-

The roof of the chapel of the Wochildren.

### LOST HEIR APPEARED.

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Just as Court Was About to Declare Her Legally Dead.

Reading, Pa., July 17 .- Mrs. Matilda Von Linden of Newark, N. J., whose Rerks county relatives had given her up as dead, appeared in court here and established her right to an inheritance of \$560. The court was to have declared her legally dead.

Mrs. Von Linden is 65 years old, and she and her aunt, Mary Arnold, aged 84, who started the proceedings to have her declared dead, met for the first time in 45 years. There was no difficulty about identification, however, for Mrs. Arnold recognized her niece as soon as she saw her. Mrs. Von Linden, formerly Mrs. Henry Minnich, nee Sarg, told an interesting story to the court. Attired in a blue silk dress, the impression she made was

very favorable When asked to give her history, she brushed rapidly over the last 50 years, She was born in Perry, this county, in 1840. She first married Henry Minnich of Lehigh county. Several years later they separated. She located in Newark 26 years ago. She married Von Linden, who was a contractor, and

he died 11 years ago. In the opinion of the court she fully established her identity and in this her relatives acquiesced. Arrangements were then made to pay over to her the \$560 she inherits. The money has been held by Solomon K. Hoffman,

executor of the estate, for 10 years. Her first husband, Henry Minnich of Minnich's Station, Lehigh county, wrote her friends a few years ago that ne thought her dead over 30 years ago and her Berks relatives had not heard from her for 45 years. Mr. Minnich was too infirm to come here.

FLYER'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Pennsy's Fast Train Crashes Into a Freight Car, but No One Is Badly Injured.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 17.-While a westbound freight on the Pennsylvania was passing Port Royal Saturday a gudden application of the brakes threw a freight car over to the parallel track.

An effort was made to flag approaching trains on the other track, but before that could be done the Pennsylvania's 18-hour Chicago-New York flyer came along and crashed into the freight car.

So great was the momentum of the flyer that the freight car was knocked clear of the track, but the passengers in the sleepers did not know that any-

thing upusual had happened. Engineer Miller of the flyer jumped and was slightly burt. The fireman, who stood at his post, stopped the M. Muravieff resigns as Russia's train. Except for the smashing of the leading peace plenipotentiary after a platform of the combination baggage strong hint from the czar, and will be and smcking car the fast train was

Bank Deposits Increase.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 17 .- Nothing indicates better the prosperity of Pennsylvania than the fact that her citizens are saving money in greater sums than ever, and placing it on deposit in banks, savings institutions and trust companies. This is shown by figures in the forthcoming report of Banking Commissioner which is now in the hands of the printer. In the banks, saving institutions and trust companies of the state on Nov. 21, 1904, there was \$597 192,820 on deposit, but on May 29, 1905, six months thereafter, the amount on deposit was \$693,981,789, a gain of \$42,-

Mother Saw Son Fatally Hurt. New York, July 17.-When John Mc-Fadden, an ironworker, 26 years old, was struck by a falling iron girder, and pintoned beneath it in a new building Saturday his mother and brother, whom be had left at the family home in Allentown, Pa., and who had come here in search of him, happened to be in the crowd of horrified onlookers. While an ambulance was taking her son away, Mrs. McFadden got a look at the pallid face on the stretcher, and with a scream, fell in a dend faint, The mother was at the son's bedside In a hospital when he died an hour

Electrocuted by Fan.

Rochester, Pa., July 17 .- Philip Paul, aged 34, of 501 Case street, was electrocuted at the bar of the St. James hotel at 10 o'clock Friday night. As afternoon an electric fan was charged and guests were warned by the proprietor, Hal Harsha, not to meddle with the fan. Paul used a pencil to start the fan and his hand came in contact with it. He could not withdraw it and fell, the fan falling on him. He died in a few minutes. He was a traveling salesman for a Pittsburg drug firm.

Every House Has Typneld Patient.

Pittsburg, July 17.-Typhoid fever is epidemie at Collinsburg, a small town 15 miles southwest of here. There are about 30 houses in the village, and of the disease. Five children of a famfly named Litt have died, and a number of other families have lost one or two members.

\$200,000 Abattoir Burned.

Allentown, Pa., July 17.-Arbogast & Bastlan's abattoir, one of the largest men's hospital fell at Fermo, Italy, in Eastern Penusylvania, was practicduring the celebration of mass, killing ally destroyed by fire. The plant is 16 women and 50 children and injure new, having but recently been coming 16 women and a large number of fleted. The loss will be about \$200.

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